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Mrs Mary Robinson
President of Eire

Madam President,

I should like to send my best wishes and congratulations on your election to the office of President.

We know and value highly your long record on human rights' issues. We hope that you will be able to put the weight and esteem of the office you now hold to join the growing body of opinion that is calling for a negotiated settlement to the current Gulf crisis. Increasingly, people in general and figures of importance on the world stage are voicing their concern at the ever-growing possibility of war, and the terrible consequences that would result. It is our conviction that war can be prevented, and that a negotiated solution to the crisis can be reached, but only if everyone who is of like mind makes their voices heard loud and clear.

I am confident that you will support our plea for peace and that you will speak out against any military attack in the Gulf and all the dire repercussions that would follow for the world.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

Salem Azzam
Secretary General

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